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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

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Sir:

LETTER

In reply to the Office Letter dated May 28, 2004, we send Claim Amendments portion of Response filed on April 19, 2004. The claim amendments now submitted include text of withdrawn claims 1-3 and 7.

22 July 2004
Stamford, Connecticut.

Respectfully submitted,

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